

**BUSINESS SERVICE GUIDE FOR  
INTEREXCHANGE, INTERSTATE AND INTERNATIONAL SERVICES**

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**SECTION 2 – REGULATIONS**

2.18 Adjustment to Rates and Charges (continued)

2.18.6 Federal Regulatory Fee

The Federal Regulatory Fee is a non-discountable monthly charge to recover amounts paid to the federal government for regulatory costs and telecommunications services for the hearing impaired and costs associated with local number portability administration. This fee is applied to Business Customers only. The Federal Regulatory Fee is equal to the Customer's total net charges for interstate and international telecommunications services, after application of all applicable discounts and credits, multiplied by 6.38%.

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